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COLUMBUS, MISSISSIPPI.

BROOKSVILLE.

Mr. G. W. Cunningham attended the recent meeting of the Shriners in Columbus.

Mr. Thos. Gay is in St. Louis selecting a spring stock for the "Gay Store."

Mrs. Lee Rives Dillard of St. Louis, was visiting relatives and friends in town and country last week. As a young lady she was quite popular up this way.

Dr. Murphey of Macon, was in town Sunday to see little Marietta Lindall, who was very ill. We are glad to say she is all right now.

Feb. 22, Messrs. Batte and Tate of the bank celebrated the day by taking a trip to Columbus.

Mrs. James Nance spent several days of this week with relatives in Macon.

Dr. Thomas Henderson has just returned from a visit to his son, Mr. Bradford Henderson, in Laurel.

Mr. Finis Woodward of Macon was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Clelland of Ky., has been on a visit to the family of Mr. J. Q. Poindexter of Ravine.

Dr. Barefield has returned from Shuqualak.

Miss V. Boggess is at home after a visit to Macon.

Shuqualak Items.

Mrs. Fred Kellis has returned from a visit to Meridian and Boligee, Ala.

Misses Terry and Taylor entertained the Maids and Matrons' Club Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sid Welsh.

Mrs. Lee Welsh returned Wednesday.

Mr. Longstreet Minor spent Sunday in Pheba.

Mr. Jno. A. Tyson was a visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drake left Wednesday for Jackson.

Miss Betty Flora is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Thompson in Cooksville.

Mrs. Louis Anderson spent Wednesday in Macon.

Miss Bessie McNeese has returned from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Clark, in Macon.

Miss Sallie Chamberlin who teaches near Dancy, is at home, accompanied by Miss Kathleen Oliver.

An Oklahoma Opportunity.

We are placing upon the market ten town sites along the line of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf Railroad (The Gulf Route), at the present writing completed and in operation from Wagoner, on the north, to Durant, near the Texas line, on the south.

These towns are growing rapidly, owing to the co-operation of the Railroad, which is vitally interested in their up-building. As demonstrated by present growth, they will, in an amazingly short time, make cities of great commercial importance.

Here is THE opportunity to get into a virgin town, on a virgin Railroad, in a Virgin State, that is without a parallel.

We also desire a responsible party in each community to handle this proposition.

THE M. O. G. LAND IMPROVING COMPANY,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

EDUCATIONAL COLUMN.

Moral Training in the Public Schools.

When we consider the great responsibility that rests upon us teachers in training the future men and women of our country into habits of moral living, surely too much cannot be said of the importance of this part of the teacher's work. Why should the school teach this? Because the school alone reaches all the children; its work is to train the citizens of our country, train to complete manhood.

And it is to the teacher in the elementary school that this subject of character formation is of paramount importance. While the teacher of High School or colleges should strive in every way possible to promote the moral conduct of his pupils, yet the greatest responsibility rests upon those who have the child in charge during the first seven or eight years of his school life. The character of most boys and girls is practically established by the time they leave the elementary school. For this reason then the teacher must see to it that good habits are established, and that those things that contribute to his moral growth not be omitted. If the education of the child is wanting in moral training it is indeed deficient. The teacher should realize the fact that the supreme end of education is moral character; that this is the standard of the ages by which every one is tried, not only in man's sight, but in God's, which is the final and determining sight.

Then how is this end to be reached? The first agency is through the example of the teacher, whose moral life should be above reproach. Many a man can trace all that he possesses of good character to some noble person whom he took as his example in early life, and whose practice he tried to imitate. The silent influence of a pure life in the school as well as elsewhere does much to counteract the evil influence of home and street.

In the second place, from many of the daily incidents of the school may be drawn valuable lessons. Obedience must be insisted upon; cruelty not ignored; honesty, truthfulness, regularity, promptness—all play their part in the formation of right ideas, and the establishment of character.

In the third place, every lesson taught may have a moral aim. The deeds of great men inspire the child to similar deeds; the power of self-control if gained when he can keep his mind on the work before him in spite of surrounding distractions; the beauties of art as shown in pictures or in music help to refine the spirit; in the lessons themselves there are truths which teach the lesson we wish to impart.

Then we would not forget the moral effect produced by pleasant and healthful surroundings. Goethe says, "The best instruction is derived from the most complete environment." Cleanliness, neatness, the presence of pictures on the walls, good ex-

ternal surroundings all help in the teaching of morals.

Then let us all strive to have every exercise of the day and every purpose of school activity controlled by the idea that we are working for the upbuilding of moral character, and to know that unless our educational practice succeeds in training children to good lives, it not only fails, but rather becomes a menace to our institutions.

LOLA McMORRIES.

Charles M. Hunter.

The subject of this sketch was born in Perry county, Ala., Feb. 4th, 1832.

When about two years of age he came to this county with his parents who settled near Macon at what is now the L. E. Eiland place. When quite a young man he moved 5 miles northeast of Macon, where he died January 14th 1910, having lived there more than 50 years. Mr. Hunter was a brave soldier, was among the first to volunteer when war was declared between the states, feeling it a duty to serve his country and fellow-man.

During these years of hardships and privations there was no complaint on his part, he fought bravely to the end, receiving only slight wounds.

After the war was over which left our Southland in wreck and ruin Mr. Hunter came home gathering together what property he had left, and started life over. He was married June 28th, 1866 to a most estimable lady, Miss Mattie Cotton.

To his union God gave five children, Clifton, Mimms and Charles Hunter, Jr., and two little girls who died in infancy. His wife lived only eight years, and from the time of her death till his, he lived the greater part of the time just alone with his boys.

Mr. Hunter was one of the most charitable of men, no one ever called on him for help and went away empty-handed. When he would hear of any one in distress or needing help in any way, he wouldn't wait to be called on, but would either go or send it to them. He did this in a very quiet manner, never boasting, never to be praised of men.

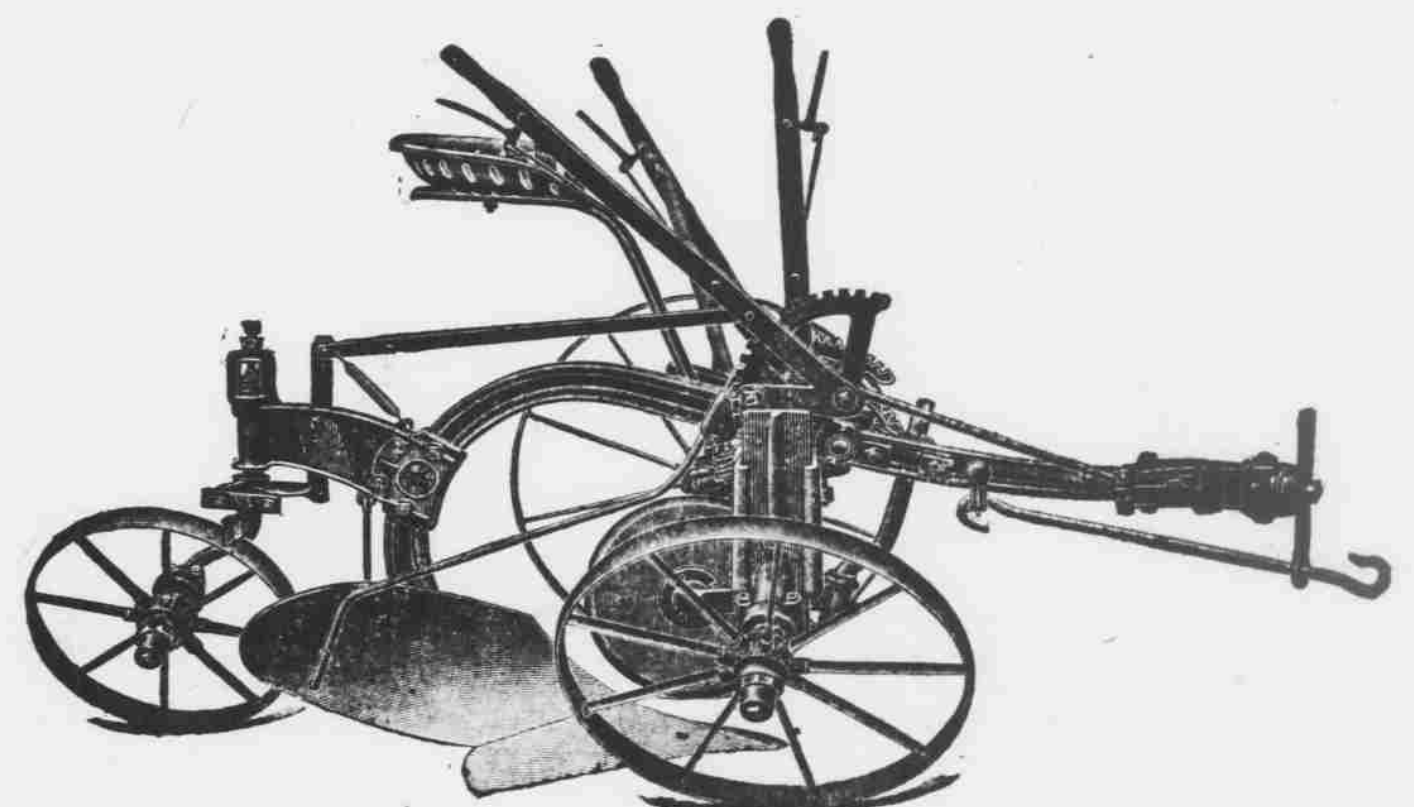
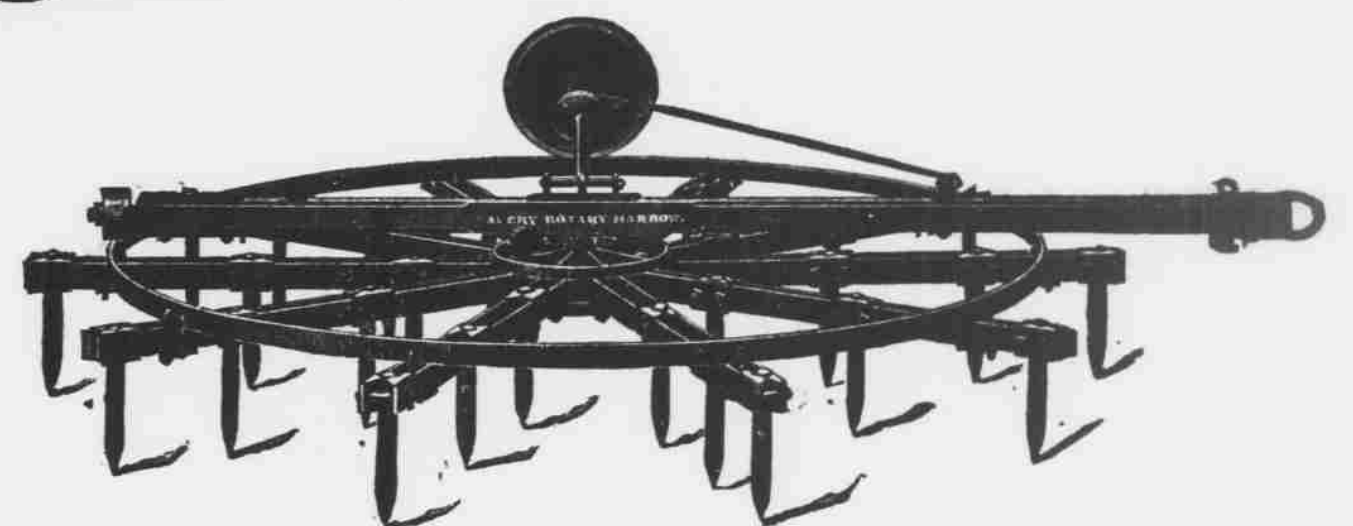
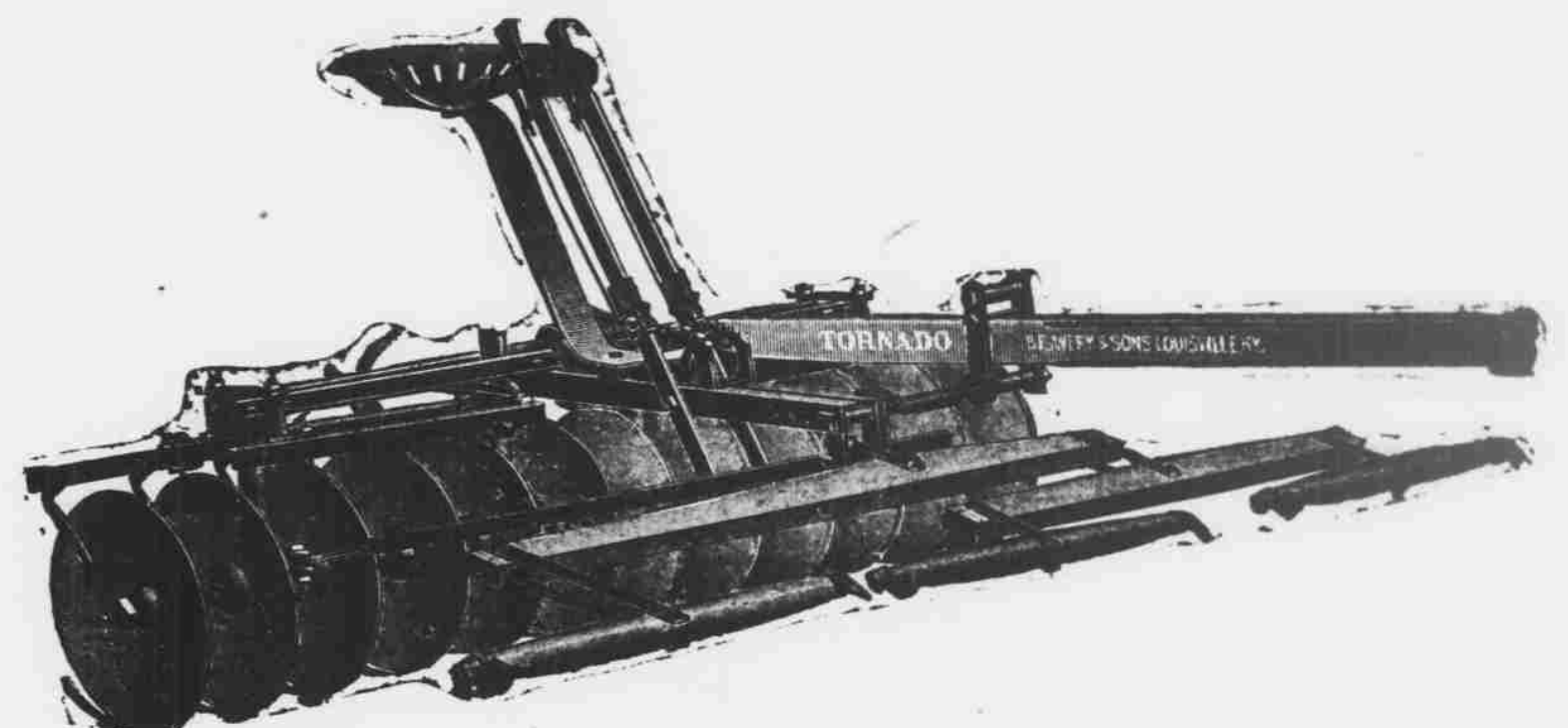
He had no set rule for giving, but his gifts to the Lord's cause always amounted to a tenth, and numbers of times it was more. He was not a wealthy man by any means, but was one of a very few who said he had all of this world's goods that he wanted, surrounded by plenty his last days were not burdened with a strain of financial affairs.

Mr. Hunter was not a member of any church, but I firmly believe he was a Christian, he believed in the doctrine of the Baptist church. He suffered about seven months before his death, but he bore this suffering with such patience, never complaining, always expressing so much gratitude to any and all who did the least thing to relieve him.

He is missed; his chair is vacant, his voice is stilled, but may we live in the hope of meeting him in that home of Eternal Day, where all is peace and love.

M. A. H.

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Macon, Mississippi.

Monster air Ship.

"The Meteor," The craze of the century coming to Macon with its Mighty Haag show on Monday, March 28th, positively the grandest, most expensive attraction ever carried with a tent show.

A HOLIDAY COMING.

The Mighty Haag railroad shows which exhibit at Macon on Monday, March 28, will be one grand, glorious holiday. Everybody remembers Haag and everybody knows Haag shows. This year the show has been enlarged so as to make it impossible to travel by wagon and will travel on its own special train of cars. Remember this one holiday.

The Columbus School of Millinery.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

The State of Mississippi, Noxubee County. By virtue of the provisions of a certain deed of trust executed by T. J. Evans on the 6 day of February 1909 to Chas. Strong as trustee, to secure to L. E. V. Susannah Eiland a certain indebtedness therein mentioned, said trust deed being recorded in Deed Book No. 95 page 19 in Chancery Clerk's office in said county, I, the undersigned as trustee, will on Monday the 7 day of March 1910 in front of the door of the Court House in the city of Macon, proceed to sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash northwest quarter, less one acre on which the school house now stands in northwest Cor. northeast quarter northwest quarter, Sec. 13 T. 14 N. R. 17 E. also the reversionary interest in the school house acre in the event it ceases to be used for school purposes, also northwest quarter of southwest quarter Sec. 13 T. 14 N. R. 17 E. and half northeast quarter and northeast quarter southeast quarter, Sec. 14 T. 14 N. R. 17 E. containing 317.12 acres being the land sold T. J. Evans and being subject to the Trust Deed to the Colonial and United States Mortgage Co., Ltd. said Trust Deed recorded Book 84 page 144, of land records of Noxubee county, Mississippi. The property mentioned in said trust deed to satisfy said indebtedness and the cost of this proceeding.

CHARES STONG, Trustee.
This Feb. 7, 1910.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Gartin, Roland and Gavin, which did a mercantile business at Ravine, Miss., in 1906-7 was dissolved in January 1907.

Dog Lost.

On Friday, Jan. 20th, near J. B. Binion's place, a liver and white pointer; head solid liver color; rather small. Had on collar with the name "Ben Walker" on it. Any information leading to his recovery will be rewarded. J. B. Binion, McLeod, Miss.

Notice to Creditors.

The Estate of J. A. Short, deceased. In the Chancery Court of Noxubee Co., Miss. Letters of Administration on said estate having been on the 9th day of February, 1910, granted to the undersigned by John A. Tyson, Chancery Clerk of said County of Noxubee. All persons having claims against said estate are required to have same probated and registered by said Clerk within one year from this date. A failure for one year to probate and register any claim will bar the same. This 9th day of February, 1910. C. M. SCALES, Administrator of said Estate.

MONDAY DAYS: FRIDAY.
WEDNESDAY
EFFIE A. CLOSE,
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Physician.
Phone 112 Macon, Miss.

Horrible Contingency Averted. A man in Park avenue deserted his bride after four days because she called on him to button her shoes. We shudder to think what might have happened had she asked him to button her dress.—New York Herald.